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THE VEXED QUESTION

America's Responsibility in the Hawaiian Matter.

EX-MINISTER STEVENS HAS HIS SAY

And Gets in a Dig at the Man Who Hauled Down the American Flag —The Brother of President Dole Interviewed.

Ex-Minister Stevens Pays His Attention to Commissioner Blount.

BOSTON, Nov. 23.—Ex-United States Minister John L. Stevens gave a lecture in a lyceum course in Somerville to a crowded audience on Hawaiian affairs. Before beginning his address he remarked that during his thirteen years' service as United States minister, under five presidents, he had invariably refused to recognize political parties in his own country, believing that in our foreign relations our policy should be natural and continuous, always with united front to our foreign rivals. He firmly refused to consider the Hawaiian a party question in any sense. Mr. Stevens then said:

"Our interest in Hawaii appertains to at least three questions, more or less distinct from each other, though they cannot be considered entirely separate

There is the question of Christian civilization; there is the question of American future commercial power in the Pacific, and the third involves the issue of responsible government under the American flag, in harmony with pledged American faith, the best American antecedents, and the plain logic of American history and American opportunities. At the date of her downfall, Liliuokalani was without the sympathy and aid of the best of the native Hawaiians, and of all the respectable and responsible white residents of the islands Not a hand was lifted in defense of the semi-barbarian throne when it fell, conclusively disproving the assertion of the unscrupulous agent of the fallen queen, sent to Washington to secure as large a sum of money as possible for conveying to our government all her right and title to the Hawaiian throne and to the crown lands to which she had never had any other claim than to the income so long as she reigned. This agent before embarking for Washington made sure of a large advance fee of thousands of dollars, which the fallen queen paid out of her own purse, and he thought it might help his case by the use of the utterly baseless statement that the United States minister and naval commander had deprived Liliuokalani of her throne In presenting the motives for admission into the American union, the islands come under more American aspects than any of our previously annexed states and territories, as the facts I have just stated abundantly attest. Why should they not be permitted to come under the flag so deeply loved in the islands? It is literally correct to say that according to the Hawaiian census tables of 1890 there were then but about 2,000 persons residing in Hawaii who were born in the United States But in addition to these a large part of the 7,500 born on the islands of foreign parents and put down as Hawaiians are of American parentage, and they make an important portion of the American colony They were educated in American ideas and sentiments, their leading men being graduates of American schools and colleges. Some of these served in the army of the United States during the war of the rebellion, suffered in the rebel prisons, bear on their persons honorable scars, or sleep in graves redolent of American patriotism

"But I hear a whisper in the air 'Let the islands vote on the question.' This demand comes from three distinct sources. It was first made by the British minister at Honolulu, a tory in his political views; a persistent antagonist of American interests, and by personal bonds and family relations strongly attached to the fallen Hawaiian monarchy. Immediately after its organization in January last he urged this plan on the provisional government. This scheme was subsequently brought forward by the queen's attorney The lottery and opium rings, of which the fallen queen's attorney is believed to be the agent, favor the plan. While the ultra-tory English and the Canadian Pacific railroad have purposes in view other than those of the queen and the lottery and opium rings, they are agreed as to the method of defeating annexation.

"The ex-queen's attorney has often been the paid agent of Claus Spreckels, and the latter makes part of the alliance to kill annexation by the plebiscitum. This is an alliance powerful as it is disreputable, and it is not admissible by honest Americans. America cannot get rid of her future responsibilities if she would, and all her attempts to do so will be at the cost of future generations. Inspired by these great truths, in the name of what is most sacred in Christian civilization, in behalf of a noble American colony bravely holding the advanced post of America's progress, in behalf of the remnant of the native Hawaiian race now living on those sunny isles; in behalf of every and all men who have chosen their permanent homes in that threatened land, whose chief men and devoted women are struggling for a better future, I cherish the faith that the American people, the American statesmen and the American government, thoughtful of America's future and great responsibilities, will settle the Hawaiian question wisely and well—will take care that the flag of the United States floats unmolested over the Hawaiian islands and that henceforth it shall be moral and political treason to remove or strike it down"

The Brother of President Dole Interviewed.

RIVERSIDE, Cal., Nov. 23.—In conversation with a representative of the United Press, George B. Dole, a resident of this city, and brother to President Dole, of Hawaii, gave opinions very frank as to recent events on the Hawaiian islands and their possible outcome

"It is, of course, impossible to predict the outcome to Hawaii," said Mr. Dole "We cannot tell what news the steamer may bring, but there is one thing certain, if the United States does not force the provisional government out of power, it will stay where it is It has a large armed force—large, for a small country like Hawaii—and will be fully able to hold its own against any attempts of the royalists to regain power. It is impossible for the queen to recover the throne without help from the outside. Even if the United States says the queen shall rule again, the provisional government will not give up. It will only yield if armed force is landed, and will never surrender its present position to moral suasion

"I do not believe it is true," he continued, "that the United States naval forces precipitated the downfall of the queen. Facts as they came to me are quite different from the version of Commissioner Blount The simple truth is that the revolution had gained such headway that the American residents were alarmed and asked to have the marines landed for protection, and this was done."

"Do you think that there is any possibility that any other foreign nation may interfere now?" was asked.

"Well," said Mr. Dole, "there is just one chance. It is possible that if members of the provisional government become convinced that the United States will resort to force they might tender the country to England and ask that the English minister raise the British flag. Whether the English minister would accept the offer is a little doubtful. You know, of course, that fifty years ago England and France entered into a mutual treaty, by which each agreed never to annex Hawaii. Possibly, however, if the islands were offered and England wanted them, she would not let that treaty prevent her taking possession There might be a way to get around it."

"You are quite certain that the queen's party cannot get control without foreign aid?"

"I don't think there is any chance of it," was the reply. "As I said, the provisional government has a strong force—strong enough to overcome any rising of the royalists. Besides that, when my brother believes he is in the right, as he certainly does now, he is the most determined man I know. No, I don't fear a successful royalist outbreak."

In regard to the prospect of an armed intervention by the United States Mr Dole said

"I do not believe that President Cleveland will dare to go to that extreme There is one little incident that puzzles me. I refer to the Philadelphia's boats being launched one night recently, filled with marines and guns, ready to proceed ashore. I have never heard that incident explained. The only way I can account for it is that there was a royalist rising planned, and the naval forces were held in readiness, but that the queen's followers got scared and did not dare to make the attempt. As far as I can learn the affair was as much of an enigma in Honolulu as here. In conclusion Mr. Dole said that the future of the islands depended entirely upon their having a good government. If the queen had put good men in her cabinet she might have kept the throne, and there would never have been a thought of deposing her. Now, the provisional government will surrender only to superior force. Its policy is to let matters go on as at present unless there is a new administration in the United States and then annexation is expected.

Probably one of the best posted men in the United States, as to Hawaiian affairs is Mr. Dole. He has spent the greater part of his life on the islands, and left them some four years ago, and has kept himself constantly informed by correspondence and otherwise as to events at Hawaii. Besides hearing from his brother frequently, he has many letters from others on the islands.

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NOVEMBER 17 Alexander Hockaday, who resides in Spencer township, Harrison county, Indiana, celebrated the 114th anniversary of his birth. He has voted for President at every Presidential election since 1800.

MINISTER THURSTON, of Hawaii, has demonstrated that he has more respect for the good name of the United States and its people than either Cleveland, Gresham or Blount has shown himself to have in the Hawaiian affair.

A GIGANTIC Democratic scheme to colonize voters in Chicago in aid of the election of the Democratic candidate for mayor has been discovered and the ringleaders spotted. It is very strange that a reform party should never cease to attempt to carry elections by fraud.

IF Mr. Cleveland and his co-patriots who insist that the blacks in the Sandwich Islands ought to be allowed a free and fair vote, to determine whether the queen or the provisional government should rule, would apply the same test to the black voters of the south, the country would not be bothered with a Democratic congress or a Democratic president.

MINISTER THURSTON did some plain talking in his reply to Blount, and, strange as it may seem, Mr. Cleveland did not give him his passports They talked about it, but concluded they had better not, as the American people had a sort of notion that when a man has been attacked by an assassin he has a right to defend himself. This is the wisest thought the present administration has got through its "think tank" since it was inaugurated.

Jingoism.

The Decatur *Review* has used some space to abuse what it calls jingoism, and it places the action of Harrison's administration, touching the Hawaiian affair, in that category. Whatever there may be about jingoism, as the *Review* defines it, surely the course of the Harrison administration in that matter, is much more popular with the American people than the course of the present administration As to the correctness of the two policies, it is only necessary to call attention to the fact that many leading Democrats condemn, and none of them commend, the Cleveland policy, while it is universally condemned by the Republicans; and in addition to this, the better element in Honolulu, who support the provisional government and its representatives in this country endorse the Harrison policy while the dissolute queen and her lickspittles at Honolulu and designing representatives of foreign countries endorse Cleveland's course.

It so happens that these things such Democratic organs as the *Review* characterize as jingoism, without exception, are patriotic, and it has always been so. The vigorous prosecution of the war was characterized as jingoism, and yet there are none who now hold that it was unpatriotic When Phil Sheridan telegraphed Lincoln, "We have sent Early whirling up the valley," it was called jingoism; but it was not unpatriotic, and it helped mightily to send the Democratic nominee for president a few months later whirling into oblivion. It was jingoism to send Vallandigham through the lines into the so-called confederacy because he was a traitor to the cause of the Union, and when he was permitted to return and become the candidate of the Democrats for governor of Ohio, the patriotic people of that state, by a majority of 101,000, endorsed that act of jingoism. Thus we could multiply instances, but it is unnecessary, for there will always be in this country, so long as the Democratic party exists, those people and those papers which will prate about jingoism; but let the people bear in mind that acts so characterized by these people are patriotic acts, calculated to make this nation respected by the nations of the world and by its own patriotic people

Thurston's Reply

Minister Thurston's statement, in reply to Paramount Blount's report, which reflects upon Mr. Thurston and other leaders in the Hawaiian revolution, is complete and fairly exposes the tricks of "my commissioner" to arrive at the conclusions he did, and upon which the action of Gresham and Cleveland as to the government of Hawaii are based Mr Thurston's statement, unlike that of Blount and Gresham, does not partake of the special plea of a shyster lawyer, but deals in cold and overwhelming facts, among which the most potent and the key-fact of all is the one in which he bears out the statement of others to the effect that the landing of the marines from the American battle ship in no way effected the revolution. Mr. Thurston states, (a fact that Paramount Blount seems to have overlooked), that the revolution occurred on Saturday, April 14, and was thoroughly completed before the marines were landed and that they were not landed until Monday, January 16.

This bit of history completely unhorses the theory of Gresham, that inasmuch as the power of the United States was used to dethrone the queen, it is but simple justice that the United States should reenthrone her, and leaves Mr. Gresham, Blount and company nothing to stand upon.

It is now very clear that the course of the administration was prompted by the bumpkin idea that it could undo what the previous administration did in this matter and mislead the public into the belief that it was prompted by patriotic motives. It has found, however, that fooling the people, at this time, is hard work for a Democratic administration that got its power by deception and has been found out.

No Man Owns It.

We were told when Gresham accepted a place in the Cleveland Cabinet that it would split the Republican party, especially in Indiana. It has not had that effect, judging from the results of the recent election, which simply show what has been demonstrated time and again—that the Republican party is a party controlled by principle. No man owns it, or any part of it, and no man, no matter what his standing may be in the party when he betrays the trust reposed in him and becomes a traitor to the party, can carry more out of it than his own bag and baggage. If there is any place that Gresham could lay claim to a following among Republicans it would be in Indiana, where he had a respectable following before he took the "dumps." Tuesday the Republican State Central Committee of that state met at Indianapolis. All leading Republicans were requested to be present and engage in the usual "love feast." Over 500 representative Republicans were present, and before the meeting closed a series of resolutions were passed, among which we note the following, which explains how Gresham stands among Indiana Republicans

We condemn and denounce the unpatriotic, un-American, and unconstitutional action of President Cleveland and Secretary Gresham in attempting, without the sanction of Congress, and against the overwhelming sentiment of the American people, to subvert the regularly established provisional government in the Hawaiian Islands and restore a degraded and debased despotism, represented in the late semi-barbarous and dissolute Queen Lilinokalani

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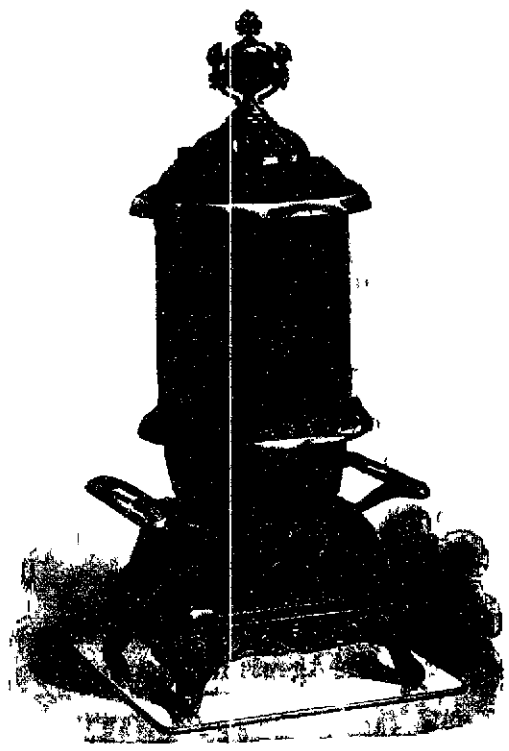

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Now, therefore, if you, John H Hughes, shall fail to appear at said term of said court on the first day thereof and shall fail to plead, answer or demur to the bill of complaint filed in said cause, the allegations contained in said bill will be taken as true and a decree by default entered against you.

Dated this 6th day of November, A. D 1893.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

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Assignee's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assignee of the Decatur Implement Company and all persons holding any claim or claims against said Decatur Implement Company are hereby notified to present the same to me under oath or affirmation within three months from this date, whether said claims be due or not. All persons indebted to said assignor are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Dated, Decatur, Illinois, October 4, 1893.

O. T. KIRK, Assignee.

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Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special taxes upon the property benefitted by the following local improvement The paving and improving of North Morgan street, in the city of Decatur, in Macon county in the state of Illinois, from the north line of Macon street south to the north rail of the railway track situated and located farthest north, as the same is now located upon the right of way of the Wabash Railway Company, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office, that a warrant for the collection of such special taxes is in the hands of the undersigned

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially taxed at the collector's office, being the city clerk's office, at the court house, in said city, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 3d day of November, A. D 1893.

L. F SKELLEY, City Clerk

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the County court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Hughes Bros. and against Harman McIntire and Andrew McIntire, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit One rail pen and also one fourth rail pen of cribbed corn, and also the remainder of the 40 acres of standing corn s planted on west half of the southeast quarter of section 17, township 16 north, range 4 east of the 3 P M., in Macon county, Illinois, taken as property of the said Harman McIntire and A McIntire, which I shall offer at public sale said described 40 acres of land situated in Macon county, in said state, on the 18th day of November, A. D 1893, at 1 p m., for cash to satisfy said execution.

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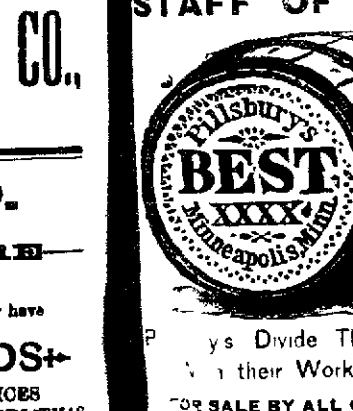

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HALF RATES. To points South on the lines of the Illinois Central and the Yazoo & Mississippi Valley Railroads (except Memphis and New Orleans), a rate of one fare for the round trip will be made from points north of Cairo in Illinois and Wisconsin on the lines of the I. C. R. R., in connection with Six Southern Homeseekers' Excursions to be run on the following dates during the winter of 1893-94:

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of John Wickline, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of John Wickline, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the January term, on the first Monday in January next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated at Decatur, this 1st day of November, A. D. 1893.

PARKER BEALL, Administrator.

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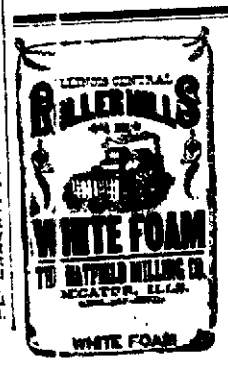

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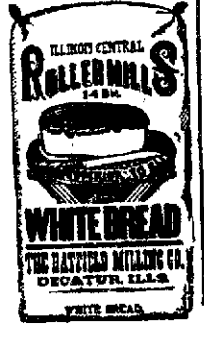

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Use Irwin's Toilet Cream for chapped hands.

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Fine fall suits at Kaufhold's, 143 East Main. sept7-dtf

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Hot Soda served at Tyler's Pharmacy by Mr. McGee of Chicago. 18-tf

You are invited to call and inspect our fall line of clothing. Cheap Charley.

J. H. Miller has bought the W. L. Huston & Co. stock of groceries at the corner of North Water and King streets.

Go to to Henry Bros.' bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtf

J. L. Peake & Son will quote you prices for next 30 days that will make you feel like buying, whether you want to or not. 21d6

Charles Chapan and Eugene Petzer have been arrested for the theft of brass from the Loeb foundry.

If you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. C. H. Dawson.

The Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

Our complete line of Fall and Winter Clothing is now on our counters ready for our trade. Call and see it. Cheap Charley.

Use Shellabarger's WHITE LOAF FLOUR. It is the best.

It is alleged in her bill filed by Mrs. Annie McGuire that her husband, William McGuire, deserted her in 1890, and she petitions Judge Vail to grant her a divorce.

John Young, at the Republican office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington typewriter. Call for catalogues and [illegible] dtf

We could not [illegible] prove the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy. C. H. Dawson.

The Pride of Decatur, WHITE LOAF FLOUR, The Blue Ribbon brand.

The household effects of J. H. Chamberlain have been removed to Niantic where the family will reside. Mr. C. bought the grain elevator at Niantic, and in the sale Mr. Chamberlain traded in his residence property at the corner of North Edward and Packard streets.

The smallest "out-boil" is large enough to show that the blood needs purifying—a warning which, if unheeded, may result, not in more boils, but in something very much worse. Avert the danger in time by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Cured others, will cure you.

J. L. Peake & Son appreciate that money is tight and that times are dull, but we are going to sell you more goods for a dollar than ever before, and even less than any competitor can. We have got the goods and expenses are light with us—we can afford to. We want you to step into J. L. Peake & Son's jewelry store, on Merchant street, and be convinced. 21d6

The remains of Mrs. A. Davis, aged 80 years, arrived in Decatur this afternoon from Chicago, and were taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Scanlan, on South Water street where the funeral will be held Friday afternoon. Mrs. Davis died Wednesday. She was the mother of Mrs. Scanlan and Mrs. Mary E. Bradley, of Omaha, Neb.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles. C. H. Dawson.

Miss Nellie Calhoun, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the Columbia Clothing company's business office, No. 114 South Water street, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

Little vegetable health producers—DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. C. H. Dawson.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

New Books Ready for Distribution Friday Morning, Nov. 24.

Famous Books	W. D. Adams
An Old Town By the Sea	T. B. Aldrich
Two Bites at a Cherry	" "
The Little Mermaid, &c	H. C. Andersen
How to Judge a Horse	F. W. Bach
A Japanese Interior	A. M. Ibsen
The Gilded Man	A. F. Bandelier
The Tragedy of the Cæsars, 2 vols	S. Baring-Gould
Irish Idylls	J. Barlow
The Palace Violin, tr. by	W. H. Bishop
Famous Voyagers and Explorers	S. K. Dalton
Short History of China	D. C. Boulger
The Pilgrim in Old England	A. H. Bradford
Friends in Exile	L. Bryce
Made in France	H. C. Bunner
The One I Knew Best of All	F. H. Burnett
Boys of Greenway Court	H. Butterworth
Sir Godfrey's Grand-Daughter	E. N. Carey
The White Islander	M. H. Catherwood
Witch Winnie in Paris	E. W. Champney
A Woman Who Failed and Other Stories	B. Chandler
Indian Clubs	Cobbett & Jenkins
Looking Seaward	Mrs. Conklin
Dicoon the Bold	J. R. Coryell
Brownies at Home	P. Cox
With Thackeray in America	E. Crowe
The Sign of Four	A. Conan Doyle
Ivar the Viking	P. Du Chaillu
Duffers	E. Eggleston
Old Court Life in France, 2 vols	F. Elliott
Across Texas	E. S. Ellis
The Brownies and Other Tales	J. H. Ewing
Elsie at Ion	M. Finley
The Camp in the Foot-Hills	C. A. Fosdick
The House that Jill Built	E. C. Gardner
Classical Myths of English Literature	C. M. Gayley
The Great Remembrance and Other Poems	R. W. Gilder
Land of the Almighty Dollar	H. P. Gordon
Jack in the Bush	R. Grant
The Heavenly Twins	S. Grand
Short History of the English People, 2 vols	J. R. Green
Roadside Harp and Other Poems	L. I. Guiney
The Sunny Days of Youth	Hardy
Short Stories	C. C. Harrison
Sweet Bells Out of Tune	Mrs. B. Harrison
Miss Mischief	W. Heimburg
No Heroes	B. W. Howard
The Coast of Bohemia	W. D. Howells
The Mystery of a Hansom Cab	F. W. Hume
Text-Book on Electro-Magnetism, &c	D. C. Jackson
Son of a Prophet	G. A. Jackson
An Embassy in Provence	T. A. Janvier
Keyhole Country	G. Jerdon
A Native of Winby	S. O. Jewett
Comic Tragedies	"Jo" and "Meg"
Rome and the Making of Modern Europe	J. B. Joy
Balcony Stories	G. King
Boy Travellers in Southern Europe	T. W. Knox
John Boyd's Adventures	" "
Her Washington Season	J. G. Lincoln
Wreck of the Golden Fleece	R. Leighton
Life and Letters of J. R. Lowell	
Noted Negro Women	M. A. Majors
The Decision of Court	B. Mathews
Story of a Story, &c	" "
Rachel Stanwood	G. L. Morse
Independence	J. R. Musick
Topsys and Turvys	P. S. Newell
In the Wake of Columbus	F. A. Ober
Heroes of Ancient Greece	E. Palmer
The Translation of a Savage	G. Parker
The Art of Music	C. H. H. Parry
To Gypsy Land	E. R. Pennell
Mechanical Engineering of Collieries—2 Vols	C. M. Perry
Robin's Recruit	A. G. Plympton
Brothers and Strangers	A. B. Poor
A Memorial by the Friends of Noah Porter	
The Elements of Moral Science, &c	N. Porter
Story of Parthia	G. Rawlinson
Margaret Davis, Tutor	A. C. Ray
The Public School System of the U. S.	J. M. Rice
Leaves from the Autobiography of T. Salvini	
A Truthful Woman in Southern California	L. Sanborn
Richton	M. J. Savage
Famous Painters and Paintings	J. M. Shedd
Vanko, the Musician	H. Lienkiewicz
Westward with Columbus	G. Stables
Miss Stewart's Legacy	F. A. Steel
The Watchmaker's Wife	F. R. Stockton
Men of Business	W. O. Stoddard
Geert Ten Eyck	" "
The White Cave	" "
Stories of the Railway	
Tom Sylvester	T. R. Sullivan
With Edge Tools	B. C. Taylor
Woodie Thorpe's Pilgrimage	J. T. Trowbridge
The Prince of India—2 Vols	Lew Wallace
The Work of John Ruskin	Chas. Waldstein
One Reason Why	B. Whitby
Part of the Property	" "
A Matter of Skill	
Life of John G. Whittier	
Polly Oliver's Problem	K. D. Wiggin
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Spider and Fly.

This popular and remarkably successful spectacular production will be presented at the Grand opera house Saturday evening, Nov. 25. The "Spider and Fly" can certainly be classed as a distinct novelty, containing as it does the brightest features of spectacle, pantomime, comedy, opera and high class vaudeville.

The costumes have been lavishly supplied. The scenery, electric and mechanical effects are all new and said to be magnificent. The company numbers 50 people and were mostly recruited abroad, through the several American artists, who were prominent in last season's cast, have been re-engaged. The chorus will be unusually attractive; numerous novelties have been added, and the music songs and specialties are all new.

Passed Away.

Julius Shea died at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday, November 21, at the home of his son, T. D. Shea, 445 South Cree street, aged 81 years. He leaves five children. They are T. D. Shea and Miss M. Shea, of this city; Mrs. Emma Pingrey, of Knoxville, Ill.; Mrs. J. M. Kerr, of Grant City, Mo.; and James Shea, of St. Clair county, Cal. The remains were taken to Mowequa to-day where the funeral services will be held at the Methodist church, Rev. T. D. Weems officiating.

American Girls

are anxious to secure a peer, but that does not prevent their taking one of those Peerless Lamps at Bartholomew's.

It Cures.

Parks' Cough Syrup cures Colds, Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough. The standard home remedy in thousands of families for all lung diseases. Guaranteed by W. F. Neisler.

VALOR REWARDED.

Illinois Central Trainmen Substantially Rewarded for Routing Robbers.

A telegram from Centralia says: Officials of the Illinois Central Railroad Company and American Express Company came to this city this evening and rewarded the train crew who defended the New Orleans express near this city on the night of September 20 against a band of train robbers. Conductor A. J. Odum, Engineer Ben Young, Fireman Chas. McDowell, Brakemen Fred Stacy and P. J. Saunders, Baggageman Felix Armstrong and Express Messenger Cornelius Boyle constituted the train crew who not only resisted the attack, but captured one of the robbers, which led to the capture of the whole gang.

This was a new feature in train robbing, and the railroad and express companies expressed their appreciation on paper at the time and hinted that something more substantial would be forthcoming.

Each member of the train crew was presented with a solid gold medal of Maltese cross pattern on a solid gold bar. Above the medal proper is engraved "For valor." On the face is inscribed: "From the Illinois Central Railroad and American Express Companies." The reverse side is: "For defending train No. 3 on the night of September 20, 1893, at Centralia, Ill., against train robbers."

General Manager Harahan delivered an appropriate address to the crew in behalf of the Illinois Central, and Mr. Trumbull spoke for the American Express company.

In addition to the gold medals, each of the seven men were presented with $300 of stock in the Illinois Central Railroad Company. Fully 500 railroad men and citizens witnessed the presentation. The men responded, and thanked the railroad and express companies for their token of appreciation, and announced that they did it because it was their duty, and would do it again. This crew of seven men are on the records of the railway company as honorable employes worthy of promotion.

New "Hoss and Hoss."

Here are a few of the parodies which Willie Collier will sing in "Hoss and Hoss" when it is presented at the Grand opera house on next Tuesday night; "Molly Oh," "After the Ball," "The Widow" and "Bow-wow." One of the songs which is sure to make a sensation is entitled, "Four Dead Swell Micks." It is something entirely new, and is likely to create a furore. Another new feature will be Louise Allen Collier's new dance called "The Ostrich Dance," in which she will appear in a costume composed entirely of ostrich feathers. "The Old Bowery Ball" so long identified with this performance will of course remain as one of the leading features. Willie Collier, as quaint and as funny as ever in his inimitable character of Judge Hoss, will introduce a number of novelties in the shape of dances, funny parodies and laughable witticisms. The balance of the company is said to be stronger than ever, and "Hoss and Hoss" will remain in our memories as one of the pleasantest events of the theatrical season.

Scared Away.

Last night John Lloyd, motorman on the Edward street division of the electric street car line, on one of his trips out Pugh street, discovered a skulker who appeared to be dodging about in the alleys and lots in a suspicious way. Later Mr. Lloyd stopped his car and hailed the fellow. Lloyd asked the fellow what he meant by prowling around in alleys and looking in at the windows. The man, who was a powerfully built man and a stranger, made no reply, but but ran eastward on Pugh street, disappearing down an alley. Officer Coe made a special patrol of the district at 11 o'clock, but failed to find the sneak.

A Young Ladies' Club.

A young ladies' whist club was organized last night at the home of Misses Addie and Clara Ebert. The club plays duplicate whist, and will meet every two weeks, each member entertaining. The members and invited guests last evening were Misses Villa and Bessie Mills, Effie and Lillian Hanes, Bertha Whitmer, Ledah Mueller, Emma Hord, Maria Buckingham, Cora Brook, and Oscar Dawson, Breck Irwin, Harry Hord, Will Bachman, Henry Crowell, L. J. Goodson, Robert Mueller, Frank Davis, Will Curran, Frank Whitmer, Mr. Baldridge and Mr. Newport. Refreshments were served on the card tables after the game.

Interment in Greenwood.

The funeral services over the remains of the late Henry F. Drobisch were held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence, 543 West Wood street. Rev. C. E. Torrey of the Baptist church officiated. The choir was composed of Misses Sessie and Cora Doake, S. R. Gher and Edward Diller. The pallbearers were J. M. Rainey, A. Statcher, James Wilson, John Pasold, William Ebert and Henry Hodge. The interment was in Greenwood.

Card of Thanks.

To the kind friends and neighbors who by thoughtful deeds showed us so much kindness and tender sympathy in the illness and death of Miss Mary [illegible], we desire to express our sincere thanks.

I. R. and A. H. Mills.

Card of Thanks.

Mrs. H. F. Drobisch and family desire to extend their heartfelt thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy during their sad bereavement.

DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures piles.
DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures burns.
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DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures ulcers.
C. H. Dawson.

THE PRENDERGAST TRIAL.

The Prisoner Wants New Lawyers Who Will Enter a Plea of Justification.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—P. H. Prendergast, who will be brought to trial next Monday in Judge Dunn's court for the murder of Carter H. Harrison, has quarreled with his lawyers and insists on having others engaged to defend him. He wrote to his mother three days ago asking her to send some white fish for dinner and telling her that he wanted new lawyers, because Messrs. Wade and Essex were trying to make him out insane and were using the single tax cause unjustly to prove his insanity. They will stay in case to the end, however, as they have been paid to defend the assassin by his mother and brother. Prendergast wants to have justification, expects to be acquitted and expects the position of corporation counsel which he covets.

Eugene Patrick Prendergast

"We are working night and day to prepare our defense," said Attorney Essex. "Mr. Wade is sick at home, but we expect to be ready for trial when the case is called next Monday. Prendergast has not been examined yet by insanity experts because we don't think it is necessary, and we cannot tell what the case for the state will bring forth. We will have physicians from Colorado and Utah here who knew Prendergast when he was living in the west, and feared he would die like his father of consumption. He has not the slightest fear or idea of punishment for what he did. We shall not ask for a change of venue. Citizens outside of Cook county are just as prejudiced against Prendergast as the people of Chicago, and we think we can get a fair-minded jury here."

States Attorney Jacob Kern, Assistant James Todd and perhaps A. S. Trude, who has just declined the democratic nomination for mayor, will represent the people of Illinois at the trial. The states attorney said yesterday to a reporter for the United Press:

"Young Carter Harrison has talked to me about having Mr Trude to assist me, and I will not object if the family presses the matter. It is a matter of policy entirely. I don't think we would oppose a change of venue if it was applied for because it is hard to hang any kind of a murderer in Cook county these days. I would like nothing better than to have Prendergast taken to Wheaton, in Dupage county. That is the toughest place in the state to try a man for murder. We are charging him with plain, every-day murder. We do not want to prove his sanity. His defense is insanity, and the other fellows will have to prove his insanity. The state will be ready Monday to begin getting a jury."

AN EARLY MORNING BLAZE.

St. Louis Visited by a Hundred Thousand Dollar Fire—Firemen Prostrated.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—At an early hour this morning the Paddock-Hawley Iron Co.'s warehouse, located 806 to 816 North Main street and occupying half a block near the foot of Morgan street, with a four-story brick building extending from Main street to the Levee, was practically destroyed by fire.

The building was filled with farm implements, iron work, etc., valued at $150,000, fully half of which will be a total loss. Building and contents were insured.

The fire was discovered by Officer McIthany at 1:30 this morning on the first floor over 806. The building was filled with smoke, and when the firemen entered several were temporarily overcome by suffocation. The flames next burst through the roof, and the real fight began. A general alarm was turned in.

At 2:30 the firemen had prevented the Ely & Walker Dry Goods Co.'s warehouse from catching, but there was a prospect of one of the largest fires that has visited St. Louis in years. Steamboats on the river were threatened.

At 3 a. m. the fire was not under complete control, but it was evident that the danger to surrounding buildings was passed.

The total loss will probably exceed $100,000.

Death of an Old Pioneer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—William T. Coleman, an old pioneer and merchant prince of San Francisco, who contributed so much to building up the metropolis of the Pacific coast, died yesterday morning, aged 69 years. Coleman was the head of the great commercial house of William T. Coleman & Co., the failure of which created such a sensation in 1888.

The Case Against Ex-Banker Rockfellow Taken Up.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Nov. 23.—Shortly after the opening of the criminal court yesterday Judge Lynch appeared on the bench and announced that the motion to quash the thirteen indictments against ex-Banker Rockfellow was denied. The case was then taken up for trial. It will take several days to hear the witnesses alone.

The Striking Telegraph Operators.

ROME, Nov. 23.—It is probable that the striking telegraph operators will go back to work to-day. Signori Crispi and Cavalotti have advised them to do so, and a majority of the strikers are said to be in favor of acting on the advice. The question of the strike will be introduced in the chamber of deputies to-day.

THE EDNA GOLD MINE.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

Information comes from Denver, Col., to the effect that recently Manager Nagely and Secretary Dey and the other officials of the Edna Gold mine property, in the Sugar Loaf District, Boulder county, have made an important discovery. The valuable vein in the mine has been located on the hillside where a tunnel can be run to the vein striking it 150 to 175 feet below the main shaft. There is a big saving, and nearly all of the force is now at work on the tunnel. Work is still going ahead on the main shaft. Manager Nagely is at the mine all the time. Everything looks bright. October 1 shares in 100 blocks were advanced to 25 cents each; for cash shares in 1000 blocks can be had for a short time at 10 cents. Money is needed for rapid development. The gold ore now being taken out of the shaft is worth $60 a ton. Adjoining properties are shipping good ore every day. C. E. Dey, secretary; J. J. H. Young, Decatur agent. dtf

LORD BRASSEY has a crank, attached to a costly barrel organ, without which he never goes on a cruise, and on which he plays every evening. The grinding routine must be hard on the listeners.

How's This!

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all transactions and financially able to carry out any obligation made by their firm.

West & Truax, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

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Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all Druggists. Testimonials free.

THE London Zoo is just now exceptionally rich in felidæ, having received a lion and lioness from the Sultan of Zanzibar, a brace of lioness cubs from Lord Delamere, and two fine tigers and a tigress from Princess Beatrice.

2,228,672.

These figures represent the number of bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, which were sold in the United States from March, '91 to March '92. Two Million Two Hundred and Twenty-Eight Thousand, Six Hundred and Seventy-Two bottles sold in one year, and each and every bottle was sold on a positive guarantee that money would be refunded if satisfactory results did not follow its use. The secret of its success is plain. It never disappoints, and can always be depended on as the very best remedy for Coughs, Colds, etc. Price 50 cents and $1.00. For sale at King & Wood's drug store.

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THE *Kreuzzeitung* says that the new building of the German Evangelical church at Jerusalem is the first step towards the projected establishment of a German evangelical bishopric in that city.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

THE BEST SALVE in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or your money refunded. Price, 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood, druggist. d&w

ON Thanksgiving Day Rabbi Hecht, of Milwaukee, will preach in a prominent Methodist church of that city; and the Rev. Dr. Halsey, the pastor of another Methodist church, will preach in a Jewish synagogue.

ALL that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. C. H. Dawson.

JOSHUA JUMP of Terre Haute, who has landed in the office of Collector of Internal Revenue of that (Seventh) Indiana district, is a protege of Senator Voorhees.

ALL the talk in the world will not convince you so quickly as one trial of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve for scalds, burns, bruises, skin affection and piles. C. H. Dawson.

ELEVEN young Chickasaw Indians have entered Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tenn.

His Second Wife

told him the secret of her good health. She used "Parks' Tea" every night. Sold by W. F. Neisler.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

Special Assessment Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested, that the city council of the city of Decatur having ordered that West Decatur street shall be widened by condemning and taking for public street purposes the following described real estate, to-wit. A strip of ground eleven (11) feet in width off the north side of lot three (3), and a strip of ground eleven feet in width off the north side of lot seven (7), both of said lots being in the sub-division of the west half (½) of the southeast quarter of section 15 in township sixteen north range two east of 3d P. M., in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, the ordinance for the same being on file in the office of the city clerk of said city, have applied to the county court of Macon county, Illinois, for an assessment of the cost of said improvements, according to benefits and an assessment or special assessment roll thereof having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had at the December term of said court, commencing on the 4th day of December, A. D. 1893. All persons desiring may then and there appear and make their defense.

Decatur, Illinois, November 23, 1893.

F. M. YOUNG,
T. A. BONE,
BENJ. DILL,
Commissioners.

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THURSDAY, NOV. 23.

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Lincoln J. Carter's Mammoth Scenic Production.

The Awful Tornado—The Great Rigging Scene, six tars furling a monster sail—The Collision of Two Ocean Liners at Full Speed—The Mighty Open Sea Scene, with waves running mountain high—Dissecting Room of a Medical College—Chicago Harbor at Night, and many other scenic wonders

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Keep all your play-bill promises."
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PRICES: 25, 50 and 75 Cents.

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Entirely new and magnificent spectacular production,

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Presented on a matchless scale by the largest and most complete organization in America.

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Vocalists, Dancers, Comedians, Pantomimist — **THE BEST** — Specialties and Burlesque Artists

More Beautiful Scenery, Handsome Costumes, Dazzling Armor, Genuine Novelties, Sparkling Music and Ballets, more than a Score of Ordinary Spectacular Productions.

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THE QUAINT COMEDIAN,

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And all the Latest Songs, Dances, Parodies and Specialties

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Prices—25, 50 and 75 Cents.
Parquet, $1.00.

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Persons selecting presents and wishing them laid away until Christmas can do so.

All persons wishing our Fashion Journal will please send their name and address, and it will be sent free of charge the 15th of every month, commencing with January.

Special Holiday Sale in our Ribbon Department:

2,000 Yards Satin and GG Ribbon
Nos. 2 and 3, per yard 2c
Nos. 4 and 5, per yard 4c
Nos. 7, 9 and 12, per yard 5c

Special Holiday Sale in our Hosiery Department:

Ladies' Heavy Wool Hose, seamless, worth 25c a pair, now 15c
Ladies' Black Cashmere Hose, worth 25c a pair, now 19c

Special Holiday sale in our Underwear Department:

Ladies Balbriggan Union Suits, worth 75c a suit, reduced to 39c
Ladies' Camel Hair Vests and Pants, worth 85c each, reduced to 63c
Ladies' Good Weight Balbriggan Vests 35c

Special Holiday Sale in our Cloak Department:

100 Children's Eiderdown Cloaks, worth from $5 to $8, for $2.75 to $5.98.

75 Ladies' New Pattern Cloaks in beautiful shades of tan, worth $25.00, 30.00, 35.00 and 40.00 for $18.00, 20.00, 22.50 and 28.00.

Special Holiday Sale in our Suit Department:

100 Ladies' Suits, in mixed Cheviot, fur trimmed, worth $12.00 .... $ 8 49
125 Ladies' Tea Gowns, all wool Flannel, elegantly trimmed, worth $10.00, at 5 98
500 Ladies' Wrappers, in all colors and sizes, regular price $1.50, at 98
25 Ladies' all wool Hop Sacking Ready Made Suits, tailor made, guarantee fit, nicely trimmed, worth $25.00, at 15 00

Special Holiday Sale in Dress Goods Department:

27 pieces 40-inch Hop Sacking, former price 49c, for ... 36c
21 pieces 40-inch all wool Storm Serge 39c
All the best shades of French Serge, formerly sold for 50, 59 and 65c, for 39c
All our Imported Dress Patterns at reduced prices. 1,500 Dress Prtterns in all wool and cotton, from 65c to $20. Each pattern contains material for full dress

Special Holiday Sale in our Rug Department.

Japanese hand woven, new designs.

26x54	$ 1 65	30x60	$ 2 00
36x72	3 25	4x7	5 25
6x9	8 75	8-6x10-4	12 00
9x9	13 75	9x12	17 50
12x12	22 00	12x15	29 50

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18x36	75c to $1 25	21x46	$2 00
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36x72	5 00	4x7	9 00

Burmah Reversible Brussels.

30x60	$4 00	36x72	$6 00

Moquet.

18x36	$1 25	30x60	$2 98
36x72			[illegible]

All wool Ingrain Art Square.

2¾x3	$ 6 00	3x3	$ 8 50
3x3½	9 00	3x4	10 50
3x4½	12 00	3x5	13 00

Special Holiday Sale in our Umbrella Department:

26 in Gloria Umbrellas ...

Special Holiday Sale in our Fur Department:

FURS OF ALL KINDS—

300 Baltic Seal Capes with black martin [illegible] with water mink edge, some plain no [illegible] merly sold for $17.50 at $10

200 Russian Lynx Hair Capes at $5.00, 7.50 and [illegible] worth $8.00, 10.00 and 15.00.

1,000 Baltic Seal Muffs .... $ [illegible]
200 Children's Fur Sets, collar and muffs ....
1,000 Ladies Neck Boas. .... $1.25, 1.75 and [illegible]

Special Holiday Sale in our Housekeeping and Linen Departments:

One lot Fringed Damask Cloths, colored borders. To close out this week 85c each.

One lot Turkey Red Stand Covers, pure Alazarine red, for this sale 69c each

We have just received thirty hemstitched Table Sets from two yards to four yards long. Price of cloth two yards long and one dozen napkins (all hemstitched) $4.[illegible] Other sizes in proportion.

Special Holiday Sale in our Japanese Department:

Japanese Tea Pots	$ 15 to	$1.[illegible]
" Sugar and Creamer	75 to	2.00
" Individual Creamer	05 to	[illegible]
" Butters	07	
" Salts	05 to	[illegible]
" Mustard Jars	10 to	[illegible]
" Fish Bakes	08	
" Bowls	07 to	1.25
" Finger Bowls	09 and	[illegible]
" Toothpick Holders	05 to	[illegible]
" Mush and Milk Sets	25 to	2.50
" Cracker Bowls	75 to	2.8[illegible]
" Rose Jars	1.25 to	5.5[illegible]
" Vases	75 to	4.9[illegible]
" Cups and Saucers	10 to	1.5[illegible]
" Card Receivers	25 to	1.0[illegible]
" Pin Trays	20 to	[illegible]
" Parasols	21 to	[illegible]
" Fans	02 to	[illegible]
" Splashers	25 to	[illegible]
" Florentine Mirrors	25 to	[illegible]
" " Sets	40 to	

Also line of Japanese Novelties, consisting of Sunset Bugs, Spiders, Frogs, Fish, Owls, Cats, Dogs, Pickaninnies, Monkeys, etc.

Special Holiday Sale in our Art Department

300 World's Fair Tidies, sold at Chicago for $2 each, our price .... [illegible]
175 Columbian Pillows .... [illegible]
400 Japanese Head Rests .... [illegible]

10,000 skeins of Embroidery Silk in all the very latest shades, all colors selected from the World's Fair sample card.

Largest assortment of Chinese and Silk Ornaments for Fancy Work ever shown in the city.

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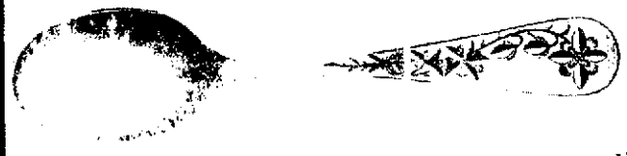

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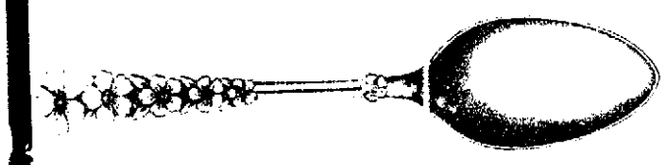

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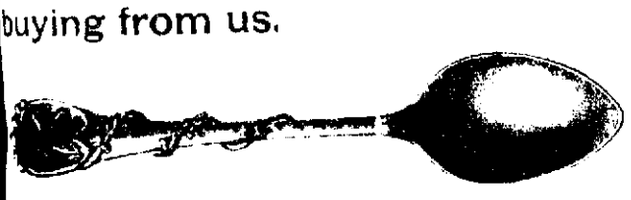

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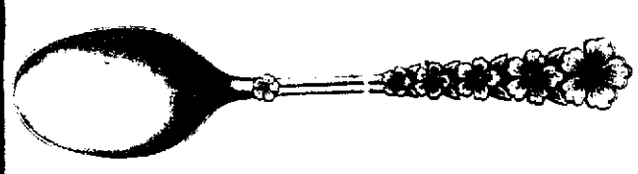

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QUEEN LIL STILL OUT.

Minister Willis Has Made No Effort to Carry Out His Silly Instructions.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 23—The steamer Alameda that left Honolulu about November 19th, arrived at San Francisco this morning. She brings news that up to the time she left Honolulu, all was quiet on the Hawaiian Islands, and that no material change had occurred in the situation, and that no attempt had yet been made by Minister Willis to carry out his instructions to restore Queen Liliuokalani.

HOTEL WEDDING.

Will Greer and Daisy Keown are United for Life.

This afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, in the parlor at Huff's European Hotel restaurant, Mr. William E. Greer and Miss Daisy T. Keown, of Mt. Auburn, Christian county, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock by Judge W. E. Nelson. The interesting ceremony was witnessed by Scott and Edith Keown, brother and sister of the bride, Miss Hattie Greer, sister of the groom, and by Will Gray and George Warren. Hearty congratulations followed the happy marriage. The party drove to the city in vehicles, and returned home shortly after three o'clock. Mr. Greer is a young farmer, and the bride is a handsome young woman whose friends are legion.

The Tornado To-Night.

After the first act of "The Tornado" at Havlin's, and a realistic scene it was, one so graphic that it is seldom seen on the local boards—there were many calls of "Author," and in response a young man in shirt sleeves stepped before the curtain. He was breathing heavily, and explained his exhaustion by stating that he had been helping to "work up" the storm scene. Then in a few brief remarks he said: "Ladies and gutlemen: Three years ago I was an unknown and penniless actor: and I was given a chance to produce in this theater my first play, "The Fast Mail." You gave me my first start on the road of success and I may say that owing to your kindness I am now financially independent. Hereafter I will consider this house as the home and starting point of whatever dramas I I may write."—*Chicago Tribune.*

"The Tornado" will blow upon the local stage this evening.

The African Prince.

Albert B. Barton, known as Prince Kohluvomah, a native of the west coast of Africa, gave a lecture last night at the Congregational church on the habits and customs of his people of the Mandi tribe. He wore the robe of the chieftain and in a very entertaining and instructive manner gave a mass of facts concerning the Africans which are not found in Stanley or other works. It is the purpose of the prince to return to his native land (he has been absent 13 years in America obtaining a thorough education) and enter upon a career of missionary work, so that when better civilization comes his people will have gentleness and love, religion and faith to guide them in the way of peace and business and home comforts.

Sudden Death.

This forenoon C. L. Griswold, senior member of the hardware firm of Griswold & Co., received a telegram announcing the sudden death at Davenport, Iowa, to-day, of L. F. Parker, real estate and insurance dealer, aged about 70 years. Deceased was a brother in-law of Mr. Griswold, Miss L. C. Close, of this city, and J. A. Close, of California. He was an uncle of Misses Alice and Lucy Roberts and William T., James and Dick Roberts. There are no particulars of the death. Mr. Griswold will probably attend the funeral.

Died of His Injuries.

John Dodals, the coal miner who was buried under a ton and a half of coal at the Decatur Coal company's shaft last Thursday, died this morning about nine o'clock at the family residence, No. 1113 East Herkimer street, as a result of the injuries. All of the ribs on one side were broken and several protruded into the lungs. He was aged 52 years, and leaves a wife and five children.

The funeral will take place Saturday, but the hour has not been set.

Sales of Real Estate.

B. F. Cloud to Charles A. Newsham, the east half of the southeast quarter of 33, 15, 3 east—$5,200.

J. M. Clokey to Edna V. Hughes, lot 11, block 1, Syndicate addition—$400.

Edna V. Hughes to W. H. Black, deed to lot 2, block 7, Higgins' addition—$1600.

Lewis E. Eyman to L. B. Casner, deed to undivided half of lot 30, block 1, Durfee & Warren's first addition—$1,00.

THE smallest "cat-boil" is large enough to show that the blood needs purifying—a warning which, if unheeded, may result, not in more boils, but in something very much worse. Avert the danger in time by the use of Ayer's Sarsaparilla. Cured others, will cure you.

The City Bakery.

F. W. Werning is now at his old place, 517 North Morgan street, where can be had the largest and best loaf of bread for five cents in the city. Also cakes and pies. nov11-d1m

Hanging Lamps.

Our stock consists of over 75 different styles of this class of goods, ranging in price from $1.10 to $10 each.

dtf E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

FRIBOURG IS GRAND MARSHAL.

Election of the Odd Fellows State Officers.

At Springfield yesterday at the session of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows the principal business transacted was the election of the following officers:

Grand master, Henry A. Stone, Vandalia; deputy grand master, Henry Phillips, Virginia; grand warden, Charles F. Mansfield, Mansfield; grand secretary, James B. Miller, Springfield; grand treasurer, Thomas B. Needles, Nashville, grand representative, E. S. Conway, Chicago.

The grand master appointed L. W. Fribourg of Decatur, as grand marshal; S. J. Orange, of Grayville, grand conductor; J. H. Hanchett, of Elgin, grand guardian; C. S. Harris, of Galesburg, grand herald, and the Rev. George W. Griffith, of Brownstown, grand chaplain.

The grand lodge appropriated $15,000 for the Odd Fellows' Orphans' home at Lincoln, and refused to pass an amendment to the by-laws, raising the minimum weekly dues in subordinate lodges from 7 to 10 cents.

The state Rebekah convention met and spent the day in hearing reports of lodges and committees. The work of the order was exemplified by the degree staff last night.

The appointment of Mr. Fribourg by Grand Master Stone as grand marshal is very gratifying to Decatur Odd Fellows. He will make a very efficient officer. He is a member of No. 65, and is well up in the work of the order of which he is a valued and honored member.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. C. F. Musser is on the sick list.

Frank Lathrop is in Chicago on business.

Attorney I. A. Buckingham is on the sick list.

Mrs. G. C. Kinsman is in St. Louis visiting relatives.

Hon. Wash Smith is in Mt. Zion today on business.

Frank Rich is on duty at the Wabash city ticket office.

Mrs. C. A. Allison is confined to her home by sickness.

Mrs. Smith Walker has returned to her home in Bethany.

Mrs. Minerva Skinner, on North Edward street, is seriously ill.

Geo. P. Blume and Henry Bachrach are in Chicago on business.

Ex-Gov. "Uncle Dick" Oglesby, of Elkhart, is in the city to-day.

Dr. W. M. Catto was in Dalton City yesterday on professional business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Mills, in Riverside Park, Nov. 23, at 12:30 p. m., a son.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. George Rupert, of 1049 South Howard street, on Tuesday, Nov. 21—a son.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Barnes have taken possession of the old home at 531 West William street.

J. E. Parish, Mrs. R. N. Parish and Mrs. M. O. Hoyne, all of Paris, were at the St. Nicholas to-day.

W. H. Rowles, manager for Clara Morris, and Branch O'Brien, manager for "Blue Grass," were in Decatur today.

Mrs. Alice Fuller Goltra, of Jacksonville, is in the city, the guest of her aunt Mrs. W. L. Krigbaum, on South Main street.

W. A. Devore left to-day for Danville in response to a telegram announcing the dangerous illness of his father, John Devore.

Thomas B. Shoaff, of the Danville *Press*, is in the city on a brief visit. He came over with Will A. Connelly, whose mother, Mrs. John Connelly, died in Danville yesterday. The remains were taken through to Springfield for burial.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Leforgee left yesterday for Las Vegas where they will visit for a couple of weeks and will then go to California for the winter. They will make their headquarters at Los Angeles but expect to make many trips from there to different points in the state.

Dalton City.

Mrs. J. Dwyer is very ill.

C. S. Graves is on the sick list.

D. A. Merris was in Decatur Saturday.

Dr. B. C. Graves transacted business in Decatur Saturday.

Mike Duggan, of Decatur, visited home folks here last week.

Peter Demsey and wife, of Decatur, visited relatives in this vicinity last week.

Dr. Graves, of Bement was here Saturday visiting his father, who is sick at the residence of B. C. Graves.

Babbitt Bros. have sold their meat market to John Myers of Hammond.

Miss Maude Aubert spent Sunday in Bethany.

Dan Fletcher transacted business in Mattoon the first of the week.

David Doner delivered hogs to Fred Stere at Decatur Saturday. He reports hogs scar through the country.

John Weamhoff is the grand juryman from this vicinity.

Mrs. Clark and Berry visited in Decatur Sunday.

E. R. Lellingwell, of Peoria, was here Monday. Eber says his mother was very sick and her recovery doubtful.

Mrs. D. Doner is in Peoria this week.

Miss Ella Mulvey and Miss Katie Kelly, of Decatur, visited in this vicinity last week.

Nov. 22, 1893.

Dirt for Sale.

Parties desiring dirt will please call on Mason street, or leave orders with P. H. Hunt & Co., 547 N Broadway street.

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THE makes things even. That man of John E. Russell's whom he placed at the other end of a pond, near his home, to practice his campaign speeches upon, gets his satisfaction by reading the returns softly to himself.

SEVENTY-EIGHT barbers enlisted in the United States army last season. They should do a great deal of damage in the face of the enemy.

Civil Service Hypnotism.

The remarkable manner in which great minds, though separated by long distance, often run in the same channel has been again demonstrated in an editorial which appeared in the *Herald-Despatch* Nov. 22. Carl Schurz directs the publication of a civil service reform organ in New York called *Good-Government*, and that organ, Nov. 15, had an editorial that the mind of the *Herald-Despatch* writer very nearly succeeded in reproducing, and that it is not identical, word for word, is due to some hitch in the hypnotic influence. Following are the articles published for comparison:

From the Herald-Despatch, Nov. 22.

No sensible man will deny that the people of the United States as a body are opposed to the tearing up of the public service, the unsettlement of business at the postoffices and custom houses and pension agencies and other federal offices, which has occurred every four years since the spoils system fixed its grip upon the government. There is not one of these changes, made without logical reasons and simply for the satisfaction of a few party workers, which does not alienate and disgust more good citizens than it pleases. Every importer or shipper or lawyer who has business at a custom house, every veteran soldier who makes his periodical call at a pension agency, every person of any sort who has to visit a postoffice from time to time, finds it vastly easier to deal with a clerk who knows him than with one who is obliged to make his acquaintance afresh. There is not a merchant in the whole country who does not recognize in his own trade the principle underlying this fact. Clerks and salesmen in private employ can command higher salaries after they have learned the facts and names of all the customers than before. The increased pay is not given them as a matter of sentiment, but because their employers realize that they are actually so much more valuable to the business. Is it not strange that a man deemed capable of managing a great governmental trust should not have as much consideration for the comfort of the public who pay him his salary, as a merchant who sells dry goods or hardware has for the public who contribute to his personal profit?

From Good Government, Nov. 15.

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Go to to Henry Bros.' bakery for all kinds of bread, cakes, pies, etc. sept26-dtf

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to S. Z. Taylor dealer in grain, provisions and stocks, with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following market quotations:

CHICAGO, Ill., November 23, 1893.

ARTICLES.	Opening.	High'st	Lowest	Closing.
WHEAT—				
.....	....	....	....	....
Nov.....	61¼	61⅝	60⅝	60⅝
Dec.....	61⅞	62	61⅛	61⅛
May.....	68½	68⅝	67⅝	67⅝
CORN—				
Nov.....	35⅝	36	35½	35½
Dec.....	35⅝	35⅝	35⅜	35½
May.....	40⅛	40½	39⅝	39⅝
OATS—				
Nov.....	27¾	27¾	27½	27½
Dec.....	28	28	27¾	27¾
May.....	30⅞	30⅞	30⅝	30⅝
PORK—				
Nov.....	.....	.....	.....	12 50
Jan.....	.....	.....	.....	12 47
May.....	.....	.....	.....	12 62
LARD—				
Nov.....	....	....	....	6 50
Jan.....	....	....	....	7 35
RIBS—				
Nov.....	....	....	....	7 46
Jan.....	....	....	....	6 65

LONDON, 1 p. m.—Cargoes off coast wheat firmly held; corn nothing offered. On passage and for shipment wheat firmly held, corn steady.

LIVERPOOL, 12:30 p. m.—Wheat spot at opening firm but not active: corn steady with fair demand.

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 130; Estimated 125.
Corn, all grades, 358; Estimated, 380.
Oats, all grades, 140; Estimated, 150.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 22,000; market steady. Light hogs $5.10@$5 45. Heavy packing, $4 90@$5 40.
Cattle 11,000; market steady.

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW.

Wheat, 115; Corn, 320, Oats, 133.
Hogs 19,000.

Puts on Dec. wheat.....67⅞
Calls " " 68⅝
Puts " May corn.....39⅞
Calls " " 39⅞

The wheat market has been steady to-day. It opened at 68⅛ for May the same as last night's closing, but by 10 o'clock it had sold to 68c flat. It rallied again to 68⅝, but later sold down again. Corn is weaker. Corn is pretty freely offered facilitated by exceptionally dry weather.

Oats are about steady at yesterday's prices. Cash oats are in fair demand only and offerings are moderate.

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.

Regular meeting of Decatur Encampment, No. 37, I. O. O. F., this (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 o'clock in Odd Fellows' hall. Visiting Patriarchs invited to meet with us.

GEORGE F. BELL, C. P.
J. L. DRAKE, Scribe.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Regular convention of Coeur de Leon Lodge, No 17, K. of P., this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock, for work in rank of Knight All visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend.

L. F. ABRAMS, C. C.
F. W. WISMER, K. of R. & S.

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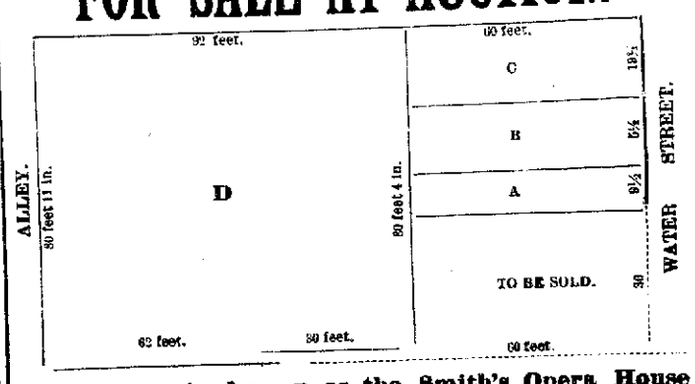

The property known as the Smith's Opera House Property, on North Water street, will be sold at auction at the North Door of the Court House, at 2 O'CLOCK P. M., NOVEMBER 28, 1893.

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In Autumn Days.

In autumn days, when leaves are shed
In eddies, amber-tinged and red,
Along the coverts of the wold—
When ferns are turning ruddy gold,
And acorns patter overhead—

When in the shallows of its bed
The river sighs dispirited,
There is an ancient legend told,
In autumn days:

A tale of one who has been led
Among the lilies, forest-wed,
To nourish memories of old,
Who wakes to find the nights are cold,
The birds have flown, the flowers are dead,
In autumn days.
—Arthur L. Salmon, in Chambers' Journal.

Why She Smiled.

She smiled behind her fan;
My heart beat high with hope and through my veins
Love's fever ran.

She smiled again. I seized her little hand;
She chilled me with a look of sudden fear,
And then explained the reason why she smiled—
My necktie had slipped up behind my ear
—N Y. Herald.

In the Last Days.

As we grow old how softly, slowly close
The doors of sense and shut us from the world—
Like tender petals of some ling'ring rose
That of a frosty night have inward curled.

Dim as the figures in a dream now pass
Those glitt ring shows that stirred our youthful hearts—
Poor hurrying shadows in a misty glass
Each but a moment seen ere it departs.

Nor sight, nor sound, nor taste of earth s delights
Can longer please, these things are past and gone.
The soul will put her quiet house to rights
And in the upper chamber watch the dawn.
—James Buckham.

Only an Understanding

I m not engaged to Polly, she's not engaged to me
She would tell you if you asked her we re both of us quite free
I ve never said I love her, she has never said that she
Were I engaged to Polly *would* be engaged to me!

Yet when I think of Polly and when she thinks of me
Sweet hopes come crowding to our hearts, and we forget that we
Are happy over nothing for you can plainly see
I'm not engaged to Polly she s not engaged to me!
—Century

Pride and Humility

She that was proud
Is lying in a stately shroud
A tearless grief looks coldly down
From eyes that wear a haughty frown
Strange hands ar ange her couch of white
Strange watchers guard her through the night
Voiceless she lies and marble browed
She that was proud

She that was meek
Though dead she lieth, still doth speak
A thousand through the open door
Come in to breathe her sweet name o er
A thousand on the highways rall
Their voices in her gentle pr als
Such hon age she would never seek
She that was meek
—Frank W Hutt in S S Times.

How to Succeed on Wall Street

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To try all the sp ec
Just mind you t ke and be discreet
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At 10 and sells at 20

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B t the s to in e a
Whose words fo h lot
Will always s both pr lay
At 10 and sell at 20
—C H Smith in Apple's Bazar

In Autumn

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To t m st W ndo s
Alth h h y
Come fro the e ps l l l brown
The golden l e fl a fled
No r e l l s set e e s l and s g
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And w t l l r d no w

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W e f l l l l l l l l laze
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Not dreams f l s l l f r days
We build n st of tu while l ush
Which m t s the tops o lays of yore
B t by th l log s ruddy flash
Di ternt t th which lies before
—F Scott Mines in Harper s Bazar

A Kiss in a Canoe

The m d n sat n a light canoe
Afloat on a mountain lake
And a mad idea shot wildly thro gh
The brain of her lover (who sat there too)
That he in that self same light canoe
As olen l s would take.

Now the maiden sat there unaware
Of the plot that he had hatched
And the mountain breezes played with her hair
And fanned her cheek and her brow so fair
As she sat there still quite unaware
Of the l iss soon to be snatched.

Then the lover awaited a real good chan e
To capture the longed for kiss
When watching the wimpling wavelets dance
She turned her head with a quick shy glance,
And leaning back she gave him a chance
That was really too good to miss.

So he bent to meet her and tried to steal
The kiss that he burned to get
But he bent so quick in his ardent zeal
That the craft upset like a whirling wheel
And he missed the kiss that he tried to steal
And they both got very wet.
—Journal of Education

The Brook

looked in the brook and saw a face—
Heigh ho, but a child was I!
There were rushes and willows in that place
And they clutched at the brook as the brook ran by
And the brook it ran its own sweet way
As a child doth run in heedless play
And as it ran I heard it say
Hasten with me
To the roistering sea
That is wroth with the flame of the morning sky!

I look in the brook and see a face—
Heigh ho but the years go by!
The rushes are dead in the old time place
And the willows I knew when a child was I
And the brook it seemeth to me to say
As ever it stealeth on its way—
Solemnly now and not in play
Oh, come with me
To the slumbrous sea
That is gray with the peace of the evening sky!
Heigh ho but the years go by—
I would to God that a child were I!
—Chicago Record

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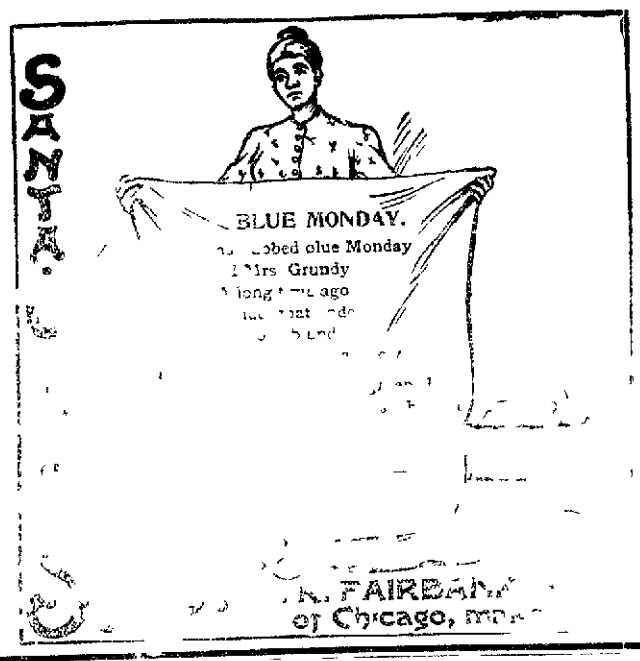

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Executor's Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the petition of Frederick Bantner, executor of the estate of Adam Bantner Sr to sell real estate to pay debts, Elizabeth Bantner and others

Notice is hereby given that I the undersigned executor of the estate of Adam Bantner Sr will on the

20th day of November 1893

at the hour of two o clock p m of said day at the north door of the court house in Decatur Ill, sell at public sale to the highest and best bidder, the following described real estate to wit The east half (½) of the southwest quarter (¼) of section seventeen (17) township fourteen (14) north range 2 east of the 3d P M, situated in Macon County, Illinois, to pay the debts of said estate of Adam Banter, Sr

Said sale to be made on the following terms viz One third cash on day of sale, one third in six months from day of sale and one third in twelve months from day of sale the deferred payments to bear 6 per cent interest p r annum and to be secured by good personal security and mortgage on the premises sold

FREDRICK BANTNER, Executor

I D WALKER, Attorney oct30-d4w

Assignee's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that as assignee of the Decatur Implement Company I will receive bids for the building located on leased ground, situate on West Franklin street north of William street and now occupied by the said Decatur Implement Company Lease on the ground runs nine years from December first

TERMS—Cash in hand, the right reserved to reject any or all such bids

No bids will be received after December 10th 1893

nov15 dtd — O T KIRK, Assignee

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Master in Chancery s notice

STATE OF ILLINOIS ss MACON COUNTY

In the Circuit Court

In the matter of the petition of the Decatur Building and Loan Association for the benefit of the creditors of the estate of Adam Bantner Sr

To the creditors of said estate of said court A D 1893 Sa l petitioners will be first offered in separate parcels and then a plat attached to the decree of sale and afterwards will be offered as a whole as the bid or bids which in the master s opinion will be the greatest sum of money will be accepted

TERMS—One third cash in hand on day of sale, of the residue the sum of twelve hundred dollars shall be payable on the 1 th day of August 1895, and the residue shall be payable one year from the date of sale The purchaser shall have the privilege of paying cash for the payment or payments falling due one year from date of sale Deferred payments to bear per cent. interest from date of sale and to be secured by mortgage on the premises sold

Dated at Decatur, Ill, this 30th day of October 1893 — JAMES J FINN Master in Chancery

Bunn & Park, solicitors oct30-d4w

Special Tax Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois has rendered judgment for special tax on the property benefitted by the following local improvement The construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with the east side of the west branch of Broadway Street Sewer on Warren street, by means of a slant joint opening at a point on the central line of the alley running east and west between Orchard street and Condit street, which said sewer shall be constructed from said beginning point east on the central line of said alley to the west line of Morgan street in the city of Decatur Macon county Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office the warrant for the collection of such special tax is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount specially taxed at the collector s office at the court house in said county being the city clerk s office within thirty days from the date hereof

Dated this 3d day of November A D 1893 — L F SKELLEY

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All persons interested are h call and pay the amounts spe collector s office, at the court h being the city clerk's office, from the date hereof.

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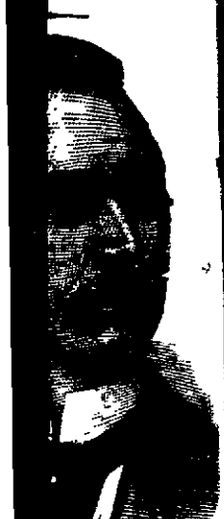

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All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amounts specially taxed at the collector's office, at the court house in said city, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 3d day of November A. D. 1893.

L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.

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Special Assessment Notice.

Public notice is hereby given that the county court of Macon county, in the state of Illinois, has rendered judgment for special assessments upon property benefitted by the following local improvement The construction and laying of a certain sewer, commencing at and connecting with the south side of Union Street Sewer, by means of a slant joint opening, at a point where the central lines of North Monroe Street and West Cerro Gordo street cross or intersect each other, which said sewer shall be constructed from its said beginning point south on the central line of North Monroe street, to a point on the central line of West Eldorado street, and from said last named point west on the central line of West Eldorado street to a point on the central line of Mercer street, and from said last named point south on the central line of Mercer street to a point on the central line of West North street and from said last named point west on the central line of West North street to a point on the central line of the street and public highway designated and known as Vandyke street, produced north and south; that a branch of said sewer shall be constructed which shall commence at and connect with the east side of said sewer so to be constructed by a proper and sufficient Y junction, at a point where the central line of West North street and Mercer street cross or intersect each other, which said branch of said sewer shall be constructed from its said beginning point east on the central line of West North street to a point ninety feet west of the west line of the public street and highway running north and south on the west side of College Square, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, as will more fully appear from the certified copy of the judgment on file in my office. That a warrant for the collection of such special assessment is in the hands of the undersigned.

All persons interested are hereby notified to call and pay the amount specially assessed at the collector's office, being the city clerk's office, at the court house, in said city, within thirty days from the date hereof.

Dated this 3d day of November, A. D. 1893

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123 North Water. NOTARY PUBLIC.

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. Abstracts of loans negotiated on short notice. Loans on farms and city business property at 6 per cent interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, No. 143 North Water Street, over Abel's carpet house, Decatur Illinois may2-d3wtf

GREAT BILLIARDS.

The Wizard and the Napoleon of Billiards Lock Horns.

SCHAEFER AGAIN BEATS THE RECORD.

Ives' Plucky Play in the Face of Discouraging Odds—The Artist and the Mechanic—Enthusiasm of the Audience.

CHICAGO, Nov. 23.—Jake Schaefer and Frank Ives played their second game of 800 points in Central music hall last night before a large assemblage of men and women. The wizard broke his highest run record of the world and went 113 better. Ives labored under the discouraging effect of being a long distance on the string behind the wizard. At the outset Ives had 137 billiards to make before reaching his opponent's 800; and in the first and fifth inning Schaefer got in his dead anchor shots which put him safely in the lead for the night. He led off last night first with 78, which, added to his break of 78 in the first inning last night, brought his run up to 151. In the next he missed the first easy and followed with one, but in the fifth he was soon in all his old-time glory as an artist with a cue and ivories. With one stroke he gathered the balls and held them together at anchor while he carromed with a delicate fairy touch, and the spectators became dizzy watching him wear out the carpet by walking from one side of the table to the other. No one could hear the counting on the balls. They were content to sit and applaud while Schaefer broke his world's record for the highest run of billiards of 230, and went far higher, and Charlie Matthews tried to catch his breath between counts. The first demonstration came when the great player passed his first century point; it was repeated when he passed Ives' high run of 181 made Tuesday night, but when the world's record of 230, made by himself, was reached and beaten, the billiard lovers became fairly wild with enthusiasm. It was clearly a Schaefer assembly, which did not stop at teasing the young Napoleon and calling to him to sit down while Schaefer made his magnificent run, and perfect billiards. After scoring 348 the wizard fell down on a cushion and bank essay, making way for Ives, who failed to pick up a shot It was plain to see Ives was rattled by his opponent's big lead, and he made only 5 in three innings.

Schaefer's record breaker brought his total up to 1,236, while Ives' score was only 753. The young players' execution was poor and his judgment indifferent. His plays for position were well met, but he could not bring the balls in contact like the wizard.

Looking a trifle displeased at the action of Schaefer's followers, Ives settled down to earnest, skillful work, in the ninth inning, when he picked up 53, mostly by getting the balls at anchor on the side rail He was lucky as well as scientific in the next inning, anchoring the red and white and counting 86, his high run thus far for the night. These two breaks evoked sympathetic applause from the spectators and pulled his total up to 912 to Schaefer's 1,327

The wizard was not idle nor indifferent to increasing his lead. In the seventh he broke for 76, and after an intermission of five small innings, he scored 52 in the thirteenth on a nurse game at open-table billiards

Ives, in the same inning, made a plucky and clever attempt to reach his run of last night. He had the balls at anchor for a long time, but they got away from him by the use of too much force, and he fell down on a cushion play for position, scoring 122 amid great applause. The finest cushion caroms were made by Ives in this break, one being a three-cushion shot around the bend, and the other a forced single cushion play, the balls being frozen

Ives got his stride in full working order in the fourteenth inning and played in the style of his opponent on the rail, in the open and at anchor on the lower end of the table. He played to single, double and three cushion, caroming with ease, and won the deserved plaudits of the on-lookers In spite of his magnificent game, however, there was a marked difference in the playing of the two billiard masters. It was the artist arrayed against the mechanic, but the plodding experienced mechanic was rapidly getting the record-breaking average in prospect. He rolled 188 points, beating the high run which was made by him last night. His execution of difficult mass shots, with only his little finger for a rest, and his delicate kissing of the object balls to count, were masterpieces of billiard playing seldom seen with Shaefer at the table. In the sixteenth inning he beat the Wizard on the night's score, but the spectators were too intent on the game to applaud. His only weakness was scattering the balls when had them at anchor, compelling him to play hard billiards for all he scored.

Ives surprised even his friends in the sixteenth inning by beating the Wizard's 230 big run record until last night's great performance, and passing Schaefer on the total score for the two nights. By faultless and bold billiard playing Ives ran up the string 268 points, missing a three cushion attempt on the second object ball.

The total score at this point stood 1,500 for Ives and 1,485 for Schaefer, but the Wizard regained his lead in the twentieth inning, after two bad failures to score and ran out the game for the night. The score by innings was as follows

Schaefer—78, 0, 1, 19, 343, 0, 76, 2, 11 2, 6, 28, 62, 5, 52, 3, 4, 0, 0, 111—800. Grand total, 1,485. High runs, 343; average, 46

Ives—36, 17, 34, 0, 0, 2, 3, 15, 53, 86, 0, 11, 122, 188, 4, 268, 0, 18, 1—850. Grand total, 1,515. High runs, 268; average, 53 14-15.

To Sue for Damages for False Imprisonment.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., Nov. 23.—A. M. Pullman, who has been confined in jail in Ensenada, Lower California, on the charge of having kidnaped across to the American side W. H. Whitman, who robbed the American Express Co. at Springfield, Ill., is reported as about to bring suit against the Mexican government for $25,000 for false imprisonment. Whitman, who is now in the penitentiary at Joliet, Ill., has made a statement that he came across the line voluntarily

Jack Sheedy in a Bad Box.

BRAINARD, Minn., Nov. 23.—Jack Sheedy, trainer for Fitzpatrick, the prize fighter, was arrested here yesterday morning for robbing a safe in Waucedah, Mich. Officers received a telegram giving descriptions of a man which tally exactly with that of the man under arrest. He admits having been in Michigan, but denies being the party wanted. He had $3,000 when he struck town a few days ago, and was also trying to make a deal to buy a variety theater.

Louis Floyd Arrives at Minneapolis.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Nov. 23.—Louis Floyd, the suspected accomplice of Defaulter Phil Schieg, of the bank of Minneapolis, arrived yesterday morning from New York, where he has been in the tombs since his arrest. Floyd was arraigned in the police court before Judge Mahony yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock The case being already before the grand jury a continuance was given until next Wednesday. No bail was fixed, and he was remanded to the county jail.

Silver Purchased Under the Sherman Act.

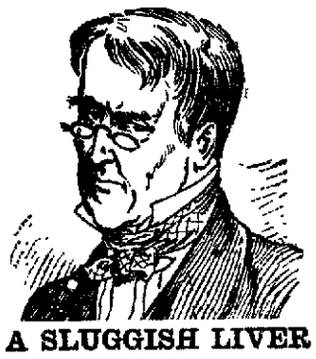
WASHINGTON, Nov. 23.—Director Preston of the United States mint bureau has prepared a statement showing that from the date that the Sherman law took effect, August 30, 1890, to the date of its repeal, November 2, 1893, the amount purchased was 168,074,590 46 fine ounces, costing $155,935,940 84, the average cost per ounce being .9244. The present market price is about 70 cents per ounce

A Most Tempestuous Voyage.

ANTWERP, Nov. 23.—The Red Star line steamer Nordland, Capt C H. Grant, which sailed from New York on November 8, and arrived here Tuesday afternoon, experienced a most tempestuous voyage, Three of her passengers were injured by being thrown down by the rolling of the steamer. The seas boarded her several times, and a portion of her bulwarks was destroyed.

To Dine With the Queen.

LONDON, Nov 23.—Mr and Mrs Gladstone will visit the queen at Windsor castle to-day They will dine with her majesty, and will spend the night at the castle.



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RAILROAD TIME TABLES.

In effect Nov. 19, 1893

WABASH.

FROM ST. LOUIS.		TO ST. LOUIS.	
No. 10 Pass...	8 45 p m	No. 9 Pass....	6 30 a m
No. 4 Pass....	11.57 a m	No. 3 Pass....	3:45 am
No. 44 Pass..	11.25 a m	No. 43 Pass....	4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass...	10 10 p m	No. 45 Pass....	4:10 p m
No. 2 Pass...	12:15 a m	No. 5 Pass...	3:20 p m

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.		TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	
No. 43 Pass....	10:05 p m	No. 48 Pass...	4:20 a m
No. 44 Pass....	11:05 a m	No. 46 Pass...	4 07 p m
No. 6 Pass...	6:15 a m	No 1 Pass...	9:07 p m
No. 32 Acc....	7:00 p m	No. 47 Acc....	6:05 a m
No. 70, Freight	11:05 a m	No. 71, Freight	11 55 a m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.		TO TOLEDO & DETROIT.	
No. 42 Pass...	3:50 a m	No. 46 Pass...	6:25 a m
No. 45 Pass...	4 00 p m	No. 44 Pass...	11:43 a m
No. 41 Pass..	9.00 p m	No. 42 Pass	10.15 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement	10.30a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.	3 15 p m

FROM CHICAGO		TO CHICAGO.	
No. 3 Pass....	3 30 a m	No. 3 Pass	12:30 a m
No. 5 Pass....	3:15 p m	No. 4 Pass...	12 02 p m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday	8:20 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday	6:35 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
Diamond Specialy, daily . . . . . 1 58 a m.	Diamond Special, daily ... 2.42 a m
No. 122 pass ex. Sunday..... 9 40 a m	No. 121 pass. ex. Sunday.. 10.25 a. m
No 104 freight, ex Sunday... 2:00 p m	No 103 freight, ex. Sunday... 10.50 a.m
No. 102 pass ex. Sunday..... 9.00 p. m	No. 103 pass ex Sunday..... 5 35 p.m.
No. 702 (Champaign Line) leaves, ex Sunday.... .. 3 15 p m	No. 701 (Champaign Line) arrives, ex. Sunday ...10·15 a.m.

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE		LEAVE.	
No. 1 Pass..	2 25 p m	No. 2 Pass...	11:15 a m
No. 3 Pass	3.55 a m	No. 4 Pass.	10:20 p m
No. 7 Freight	9·00 a m	No. 6 Freight	6:30 a m
No. 9 Freight.	8.00 p m	No. 10 Freight	4:30 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH		SOUTH.	
No 2 Pass..	2 55 p m	No. 1 Pass...	11:05 a m
No 4 Pass...	6:35 a m	No. 3 Pass...	10:25 p m
No. 30 Pass, Sunday only.....	7:50 a m	No 31 Pass, Sunday only.....	9:00 p m
No 14 Freight	10:05 a m	No. 11 Freight	2:00 p m

VANDALIA LINE.

	ARRIVE.	
From Terre Haute.....	11 45 a m—	7:30 p m
From Peoria.....	2:40 p m—	7:15 p m
	LEAVE.	
For Peoria.....	11:20 a m—	7 75 a m
For Terre Haute.....	7:00 a m—	3:00 p m

Chas. T. Johnston

DECATUR, ILL.

151 NORTH WATER STREET,

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SPECIAL VALUES THIS WEEK

In Cloaks, Furs, Blankets, Dress Goods, Table Linens, Cotton Flannels, Wool Skirts, Kid and Cashmere Gloves, Ice Wool Shawls, and Cut Prices on Shoes and Carpets all week.

REMEMBER—You can select any Cloak, Dress Pattern or goods of any other kind for Christmas and have them laid away by paying part down on them and pay along on them as you can.

We will offer special drives in Cloaks all this week to reduce our stock. Pick one out, pay part on it and we will lay it away, as we have an elegant stock to select from.

CLOAKS.

Children's Cloaks at $2.95, 3.50, 4.00, 5.00, 6.50, to 10.00.
Ladies' Cloaks at $4.95, 6.50, 7.00, 8.50, 9.98 to 20.00.
Plush Cloaks at $11.50, 15.00, 17.50, 20.00 to [illegible]
Fur Capes at $5.00, 7.50, 8.50, 10.00 to 15.00.
Children's Coats at $1.50, 2.50, 3.50.

BLANKETS.

A lot of soiled White Blankets to go regardless of cost to get them out.
Prices—98c, $1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4 50, 5.00 to 7 00.
100 pairs of Grey Domet Blankets go in 98c per pair, value $1.25.
Comforts at 98c, $1.25 and 1.50 each.

SHOES.

Don't forget our Shoe Department in rear end of store.
Prices Ladies' Shoes: $1.48, 1 98, 2.50, 2.98.
Children's Shoes at 98c, $1 25, 1.48.

Dress Goods.

Henriettas, 40c quality at 25c.
Henriettas, 50c quality at 35c.
Henriettas, $1 quality at 75c.
Hop Sacking dress goods at 35, 50, 69 and 75c a yard.
Pick out a dress, pay part on it, and we will lay it away for you.
7c Muslin on sale at 5c.
15c Cotton Flannel at 10c.
25c Sheeting at 19c.

Make our store your trading place as we will save you money.

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THEY MUST GO.

Owing to heavy purchases early in the season and the continued warm weather, we find that our stock is entirely too large for the season. We have consequently made such

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IN PRICES that the Stock is Bound to Go.

CONSULT YOUR OWN BEST INTERESTS.
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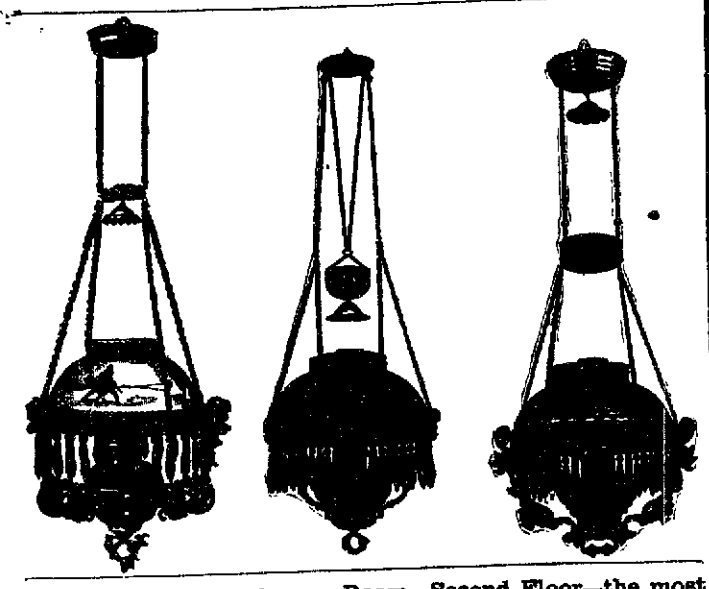
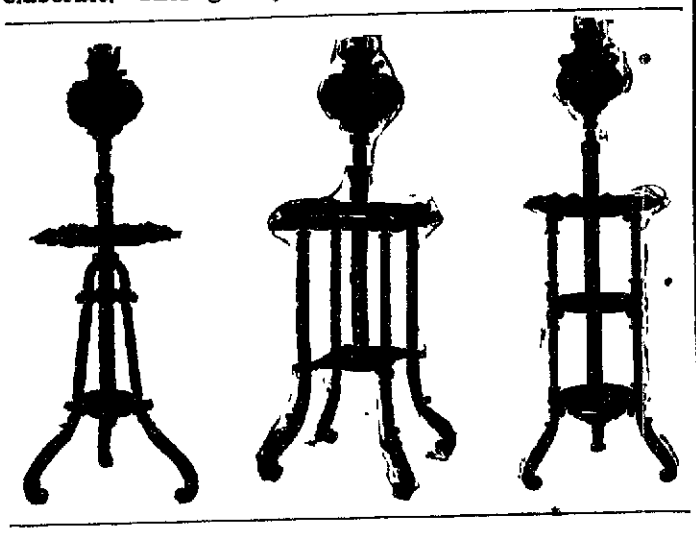


We are displaying in our Room—Second Floor—the most beautiful line of Piano, Banquet, Boudoir and Library Lamps ever shown in the city.

We have them from quite inexpensive up to the most elaborate. These goods make beautiful presents.



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What Are You Going to Do About It?

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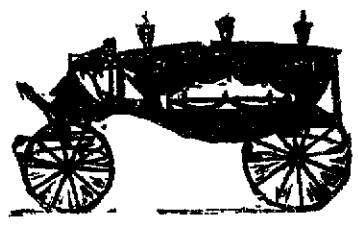
+ FRANK H. COLE, +

B. F BOBO, Manager,

148 EAST MAIN STREET.



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Has removed from Masonic Temple Block to Syndicate Block, North Main street, where everything pertaining to the funeral business is furnished and attended to the highest style of the art. Calls night or day, will receive prompt attention. In connection a receiving vault.

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GET your tickets for Thanksgiving Concert. 22-d2

PRESCRIPTIONS a specialty at Tyler's Opera House Pharmacy. 18-tf

POTATOES 70c bushel at Arcade.

OIL red cahoo 5c a yard at Arcade.

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RELIABLE goods, low prices, at Irwin's drug store.

SMOKE the old reliable K & W. cigars. mar25dtf

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COLDER this morning, and another dash of snow.

FILL the G. A. R. hall Thursday night and help the Relief fund. 22-d2

ROCK Balsam cures coughs and colds. Sold by I. N. Irwin & Co

IRWIN'S Toilet Cream cures chapped hands and roughness of the skin.

READ Geo. W. Jones & Co.'s new advertisement in another column.

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DO YOUR trading at the Towne & Murphey grocery store on South Water street.

ANTI-TOBACCO 50c per box at Dawson's.

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DAWSON'S drug store is open all night.

Boom Decatur
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DON'T forget the entertainment at the G. A. R. hall for the benefit of the poor Thursday evening. 22-d2

EXCELLENT family groceries and fresh country butter every day at the Philip Kemper store 757 North Water street.

WE guarantee Monarch mixed paints equal to any paint in the city. At Dawson's, successor to Swearingen.

ELEGANT fitting suits at low prices at P. H. Kauffold's, the merchant tailor, 143 East Main street. oct4-dtf

THE small sum of ten cents will be charged for the entertainment at the G. A. R. hall Thursday night. 22-d2

USE a co-operative purchasing book issued by the B. & M. B. B., and save four per cent. on your purchases. 17-d6

WHITE
LOAF
FLOUR
The Best.

THE instrument to be used at the entertainment to be given Thursday evening at the G. A. R. hall has been imported for the occasion. 22-d2

IT will pay you to deal at the C. B Prescott music house. There you will find a full assortment of the best musical instruments in the market.

TYLER'S Opera House Pharmacy received the finest lot of "Sparrow's" Candy, Boston, ever brought to the city. 40, 65, 75c pound. 18-tf

TO CURE all Nervous troubles and diseases Dr. Wheeler's Nerve Vitalizer is pronounced the greatest medical discovery of the age. Free trial bottles of C. H. Dawson.

ANOTHER deposit of natural gas was struck yesterday on the farm of William Longnecker, ten miles east of Decatur. Mr. Dilts made another effort to bore for water but had to stop because of the gas which shoots up through a pipe.

M. M. SMITH, 554 W. Main street, and Mrs. L. H. Pollard, 635 W. Wood street, have been the first persons to complete the use of a co-operative purchasing book issued by the B. & M. B. B. and received cash their four dollars premiums promptly on presentation of books and stubs at the office. nov17-dtf

ONE of the features following the entirely new and amusing program at the G. A. R. hall Thursday evening will be the auctioning of the baskets with daintily prepared suppers for two. Oysters and other refreshments served to all not desiring an exquisite basket. Supper for 25 cents. 22-d2

THE Woman's Relief Corps desires to express the appreciation and thanks of its members to the generous dry goods merchants—Linn & Scruggs, Bradley Bros. and Hatch & Bro.—for beautiful donations of table linen for use in their hall. Also to Gaddis & Huff and Mills lumber companies for donations of lumber for the large tables; and to Captain I. N. Martin for admirable work in making tables.

THE minutes of the Illinois conference Methodist church, shows that Decatur district has 57 churches, 23 parsonages, 52 Sunday schools with 5468 scholars and 756 officers and teachers; church membership, 6530 full members and 320 probationers. For missions, $3114; education, $361; American Bible Society, $27; Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, $980; Woman's Home Missionary Society, $80.

HARRY L. HALL, aged 23 years, whose home was at Mechanicsburg, died suddenly of heart disease at the Eastern Hotel at Springfield. He was a son of Preston Hall.

MR. MCGEE of Chicago will serve Hot Soda and Cold Drinks to-night at Tyler's Opera House Pharmacy. 18-tf

TO-DAY a marriage license was granted William E. Greer and Miss Daisy T. Keown, both of Mt. Auburn, Ill,

TRY those superb Little Rose and Bouquet cigars to be had anywhere in the city. Call for them.

THE mail from the east this morning was late. It was not delivered by the carriers till noon.

A WEEK from to-day the Union Thanksgiving services will be held

"TORNADO" to-night at the Grand

MORTUARY.

Death of E. A. Gliddon at His Home.

Last evening at 4:50 o'clock Edwin A. Gliddon passed away in death at his home on West William street, resulting from paralysis of the throat, with which he had been afflicted for about a year; but his condition was not regarded as serious until Saturday, when he was compelled to remain at home. He was feeling fairly well yesterday morning, and his condition excited no alarm until toward the close of the afternoon when he became suddenly worse and expired in a short time. Deceased was a native of the Isle of Guernsey, and had been a resident of the United States for a period of 41 years. His age was 69 years. All his life Mr. Gliddon had been an active business man. At the time of his death he was a member of the firm of Heuver & Gliddon, shoe manufacturers, whose factory is located on East Eldorado street. He had resided in Cincinnati, Ohio, Newport, Ky., and at Chester, Ill, before coming to Decatur three years ago. In social and business circles Mr. Gliddon had a host of friends who had learned to esteem him highly as a man of sterling integrity and as a kind neighbor and friend. He leaves a widow but no children. All will be pained to learn of his death. Silas Services, a nephew, resides at Rochester, New York.

The funeral will take place to-morrow, (Friday), at one o'clock p. m., from the Episcopal church; services by the Rev. Weymess I. Smith, of Lincoln, Ill. Interment at Greenwood Cemetery. Friends of the family are invited to attend.

An Alleged Crook

In obedience to a telegram received last night from Christian county Captain Baylor and Officer Leech arrested three men at the depot who were wanted at Taylorville for passing a $10 counterfeit bill. Two brothers named Murphy and a Mr. Hazlett were the parties wanted. Later a message came ordering the Murphy brothers released. Hazlett was detained. He was taken to Taylorville to-day by Leech, and the Murphy brothers went along to help their friend out of the trouble. The three men are farmers who live near Wapella in DeWitt county. They had been at Taylorville to testify before the grand jury. They claim that they are innocent and that they will have no difficulty in establishing the fact.

Decatur Guess Winners.

In the Liggett & Meyer Tobacco company jump of $25,000 offered for distribution among those who made the closest guesses on the total paid admissions at the World's Fair, three Decatur parties came in for cash prizes. The official figures are 21,480,141. S. Hugenberger guessed 21,480,000, and will receive $100; C. N. May's guess was 21,486,143, and will get $5; J. H. Kingsley guessed 21,473,864, and will get $10. The $5,000 first prize goes to a physician at Louisville, Ky.

Laying Out a Mile Track.

This afternoon George V. Loring visited Fair Lawn Park, the old fair grounds, to make a survey for a mile race track, per order of the Land committee, which is a part of the general committee engaged in the effort to secure the location of the state fair at Decatur. The track will have to extend south over the lower side of the 40 acres into the Dennis land. There is ample space in the ravine for the track, but it will be necessary to move considerable dirt.

We Defy Competition.

We defy anyone to match our price in any line of Lamps we have. In fact we have now competition in this line of goods. If you will look through them you will be convinced.

dtf E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

RECEPTION DAY AT THE ROOMS.

Members of the Y. M. C. A. Receive Their Friends.

This is the formal reception day at the new rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association in the Columbia Block on North Main street, steam-heated and well-lighted rooms which have been leased for a period of five years. The officers and members now feel that moving days for the association are at an end until the glad day comes when the Decatur organization will see its way clear to put up a magnificent building. Eighteen months ago when N. W. Woodford, the general secretary took hold of the association there were but 167 members. Now the total active membership is 326 and the affairs of the organization were never in better shape. The association occupies two floors in the Columbia Block, the second and third. On the second floor is the reception room and office 17x25 feet; parlor, 15x20; reading room, 14x31; lecture room, 28x86; committee room, 15x21. On the third floor is the gymnasium, 30x52, with annex, 14x30; bath room, 12x32. All of the furniture is new and appropriate. The gymnasium outfit is complete, and in the bath room are two porcelain tubs, three shower baths, water closet, wash stands and lockers. It is a pleasant home for young men and it is no wonder that it is becoming more popular every day among the christian young men and business men of the community.

The reception began this afternoon and will continue through the evening To-night the rooms, which can be thrown together, will be crowded, and a special programme will be observed. It will be as follows:

Prayer.....
Address of Welcome .... W. C. Outten
Piano duet..... .. Misses Bear and Whitmer
Quartet . .. Presbyterian Choir
Piano solo . .....Miss Bunn
Vocal solo . . ...Miss Addie Ebert
Piano solo .. .. Miss Neta Clark

The members of the reception committee are: C. C. Curtis, Sam Schmink, Smith Munson, Matthew Kirkwood, Clyde Johnson, Claude Johnson, Harry Kepler, Arthur Gay, Wilbur Davis, W. L. Suffern, John Schmink, Bert Evans, Joseph Bardsley, Will Coonrad, Guy Righter, D. A. Strader and Geo. T. Tucker.

Musical Committee—Chas. Dresback, George Keith, Allison Barnard, Brugh Werner and Fred Ives.

Ladies' Committee—Mrs. Battles and others.

Social Work Committee—Wilbur Dawson, S. W. Lehman, T. C. McIntyre, J. N. Lindsay, E. Skinner, A. F. Barnard, Bert Gher, George Keith.

Everybody is invited to attend the reception.

Recognition.

The W. R C. No. 110 of Taylorville, gave a banquet at G. A. R. hall yesterday in honor of their inspector, Mrs. Effie R. Kennedy, of Decatur. During the afternoon an exquisite bouquet of roses was presented to Mrs. Kennedy and a gold recognition pin to Mrs. Siemens, organist, for faithful service. President, Mrs. Laura B. Evans and staff are among the most efficient officers in the state and the entire membership wide awake and earnest, as the amount of excellent work done by this corps shows. Taylorville corps are also striving to complete the work of erecting a monument to the memory of the Union soldiers by next Memorial day. Mrs. Sallie J. Steele, of Decatur, was instituting and installing officer for this most excellent corps.

Expert Pool Player

Frank Mead, the noted fifteen-ball pool player, from Minneapolis, Minn., is in the city and to-night at the Andrews exchange will give an exhibition of his enviable skill. He will pocket 18 balls or no count with the best player Decatur can produce. There are some pretty smooth pool players in Decatur and Mr. Mead may find it difficult to win even one game of the series. All are invited to witness the exhibition.

An Anniversary.

Yesterday was the fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hill, and their grandchildren, among whom were Hugh, Emma and Gussie Sons, Hugh, Charles, Edith and Grace Hill, went out to their elegant home on Pine street last evening and celebrated the event. Although the affair was not pre-arranged, a very pleasant evening was enjoyed.

$50 Claim Allowed.

Dr. J. S. King was yesterday paid $50 by E. J. Wilkin, the local agent for the American Masonic Accident association, of Minneapolis, for injuries which laid him up for two weeks.

Piano Lamps.

Our line of Piano Lamps is of unusual good value this year. Parties desiring a Piano Lamp will find just what they want on our second floor. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW. dtf

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—The formation of a western baseball league has been completed

—Late advices indicate that the Cook party, of Missoula, Mont., is safe and provisioned for the winter

—There is no truth in the rumor that Foster Vest committed suicide at Sedalia, Mo. He is alive and well in Washington city

—Newberg, Tenn., was visited at 1 a. m. yesterday by a fire resulting in the death of three persons and the injuring of five others

—Thomas Bateman, for twenty years librarian of the Buffalo (N Y) academy of music, died suddenly Tuesday night of apoplexy.

—The president has appointed Andrew J. Arnold postmaster at Topeka Kan. vice Frank S Thomas, removed for offensive partizanship.

—Springfield Mass., suffered from the most destructive fire that city has known for years Tuesday night, the losses being estimated at $1,500,000.

—Charles Maul, of Denver, Col., being set upon by a party of young toughs, whipped five of them, and was then fatally stabbed with a pocket knife.

—The jury in the case of the officers of the Guarantee Investment Co of Chicago, charged with defrauding the mails returned a verdict of guilty yesterday afternoon

—The steamer China, which sailed yesterday from San Francisco for the Orient, touching at Honolulu, carries official dispatches to Minister Willis and Admiral Irwin.

—Antonia Lebecky, 65 years old, and her daughter, Fannie Lebecky, 35 years old, committed suicide some time during Tuesday night, by hanging themselves at their home in New York

—Orders have been received at the Illinois Steel Co's Bay View (Wis) iron plant to stop the puddling mill and all other departments next Monday morning This means virtually that there will be no more shutting down this winter

—A C Sadler a school teacher studying for the ministry, was yesterday arrested at Frankfort, Ky on a requisition from Indiana charging him with the seduction of Miss Ida Howell a 16-year-old girl of good family, of Oakland City, in that state

—The New York Herald's correspondent at Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, telegraphs That the revolutionists are in earnest there can be no longer any doubt. They feel confident that they can overcome Diaz, or at least force from him a number of concessions.

—The Bulgarian government has decided to continue to the widow of Prince Alexander the yearly pension of $10,000 granted to him by that nation providing that the prince's remains are finally interred in Bulgaria. The widow has accepted the condition

—Father J B Eis, of the Sacred Heart Catholic church at Columbus, O., was fired upon five times by two burglars who aroused him while robbing his house at 4 30 a. m. yesterday A bullet struck him in the right forearm, making a painful wound but the plucky priest ejected them by main force

Two Traps for Farmers

It must keep the farmer tolerably busy to watch all the traps laid for his especial downfall. The latest scheme is worked by a fellow who calls upon the farmer and pays him $5 for the privilege of posting bills on his fence He takes a receipt for the amount, and in a few days the bank does the rest. John Foster, a farmer living near Bushnell, was approached by a stranger who told him he had a plan to win $5,000 by the old shell game. The stranger knew of another man in town who had $5,000, and if John would furnish $2,000 they would win it and divide. John hastened to furnish the money, the game was played, the $5,000 won and the whole placed in a box. John was told to take it home and in the morning his friend would call and divide. This John did, and his wife, much against his wishes, broke open the box with an ax and found an ear of corn. Mr. Foster thinks he will not back another stranger's game this fall

It Was a Splendid Play

Charles Frohman never sent a bad company or a poor play to Decatur, and everybody expected that "The Girl I Left Behind Me" drama, which was produced at the Grand last night, would be of the usual meritorious character. They were not disappointed. All were delighted with the play, as was shown by the frequent curtain calls One of the largest audiences of this dull season was present. It was a smooth performance throughout and the company was evenly balanced even to the minor parts. Irene Everett, a California beauty, as *Lucy*, Mrs. Berlau-Gibbs as *Kate*, Belle Bellin as *Ann*, Violet Rand as *Fawn*, and the gentlemen of the company were all A 1. The play was well staged, and the special music played with their usual skill by the local orchestra directed by Prof. Walter was an additional pleasing feature of the evening's entertainment.

To Teach Voice Culture

I have decided to take a class in voice culture and desire to rent a room or hall centrally located, in a private family preferred, in which I can also get a piano I will want the room two days each week. Anyone having same to rent will address MISS PEARL PINCKARD, Monticello or Mrs. H W. Bartholomew, No. 533 North Main street, Decatur Ill nov23-d1r

Ladies Look Here

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